

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

e application of:

Jeffry Jovan Philyaw

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For:

AUTOMATED CHECK VERIFICATION AND TRACKING SYSTEM (Steger 2 of

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Assistant Commissioner for

Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

NOTIFICATION OF EXTENSION

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants are taking their fourth extension of time to file a Response to the outstanding Office Action that was due on 11/10/01. If any further extensions are required to maintain this application, they are hereby requested. The fee for the fourth extension of time is \$720.00, which is enclosed. Please charge any additional fees or deficiencies in fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-0780/PHLY-25,478 of HOWISON, THOMA & ARNOFT, L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

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